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DETERMINING MOTION TOOL
PARAMETERS IN BOREHOLE
LOGGING Attorney Docket No: 7420-116-999

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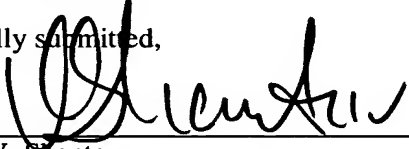
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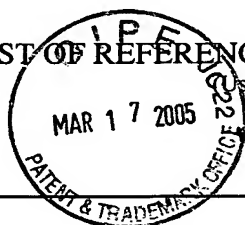
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